

## GIANT COMPANY IS ORGANIZED

Citizens National Enters Life Insurance Field—Over 200 Stockholders Attend First Meeting.

### R. L. MOORE, ONE OF DIRECTORS.

One of the biggest financial institutions ever established in the South was launched with modest ceremony last Wednesday when subscribers for stock of the Citizens National Life Insurance Company met in Louisville and completed organization. The occasion attracted more than two hundred men from every section of Kentucky and from many points throughout the South. One of the noteworthy incidents in connection with the organization of the new institution is that on the day of its formal entry into the financial and commercial world every county in Kentucky, save three remote mountain counties, was represented in the roster of stockholders.

There are said to be over 1,500 stockholders in the new company and it is estimated that something like 80 per cent. of these were represented at yesterday's meeting, either in person or by proxy. The total subscription of stock is announced at \$1,000,000, an additional \$1,000,000 being represented in surplus.

#### DIRECTORS ELECTED.

The sum total of the entire day's business was the formal assembly of the stockholders and ratification of the work accomplished by the organizers and incorporators, and the election of a board of directors, numbering thirty-six prominent men of Kentucky and other Southern States. Included in the directorate are many men who have been prominent in the affairs of the Citizens Life Insurance Company, of this city. It is understood to be the plan of the company just formed to increase its capital stock to \$5,000,000, with a surplus of \$5,000,000. Before this is done, however, it is expected there will be a consolidation of the company with the Citizens Life Insurance men and others declare this will give Kentucky and the South one of the strongest life insurance companies in the world, and one which will not confine its activities to the section south of the Mason and Dixon line alone, but will go into other parts of the Union.

The stockholders were called together promptly at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning at the headquarters of the company in the Courier-Journal building by W. H. Gregory, chairman of the organization committee and president of the Citizens Life Insurance Company. Because of the cramped quarters, adjournment was immediately taken to the Louisville School Board in the Citizens Life building on Walnut street. Although seats for some 200 persons had been provided, even standing room was at a premium when Chairman Gregory again called the stockholders to order. The remainder of the morning was devoted to impromptu speech-making, followed by a ratification by the stockholders of the work of the organization committee and incorporators. Mr. Gregory addressed the stockholders in part as follows:

#### PERSONNEL OF DIRECTORATE.

Directors for three years: W. C. Kendrick, Louisville; A. T. Siler, Williamsburg; Charles D. Pearce, Maysville; John I. Winter, Fort Worth, Tex.; J. W. Thacker,

Georgetown; S. S. Faulkner, Helena, Ark.; J. Whit Potter, Bowling Green; George Bohon, Harrodsburg; S. A. Shanklin, Maysville; Malcolm Yeaman, Henderson; W. T. Tandy, Hopkinsville, and W. M. Moore, Cynthiana.

Directors elected for two years: J. W. Lam, Greenville; J. S. Frazer, Mt. Sterling; F. M. Fisher, Paducah; Dr. J. W. Koontz, Greenville; V. J. Blow, Louisville; Geo. G. Fetter, Louisville; B. W. Allen, Harrodsburg; Hubert Vreeland, Frankfort; W. D. Claybrook, Springfield; William Witherspoon, Nashville, Tenn.; J. N. Camden, Versailles, and Clarence LeBus, Lexington.

Directors elected for one year: J. E. Jarratt, San Antonio, Tex.; Helm Bruce, Louisville; W. H. Gregory, Louisville; Prof. M. A. Scovell, Lexington; N. G. Davis, Mobile, Ala.; George Alexander, Paris; T. C. Cairns, Birmingham, Ala.; C. N. McCarthy, Foster; R. L. Moore, Marion, and Thomas H. Roger, Theibedeaux, La.

A brief meeting of the directors was held and adjournment taken until 9 o'clock Thursday morning. At that time officers will be elected and a set of by-laws adopted for the new company. It was stated that the company will commence the active conduct of business on November 23, the anniversary of the commencement of the Citizens Life Insurance Company.

#### Dr. H. B. Wolfe at Dycusburg.

Dr. H. B. Wolfe, the Salem Dentist, will be at Dycusburg, on Nov. 26th, and will practice his profession at that place for a few days.

Persons who have teeth that are in bad condition, would do well to have them looked after before the bad weather begins. Every one should bear in mind that good teeth are as essential to good health, as good health is essential to beauty. And with your teeth in bad condition you can have neither.

#### DYCUSBURG.

As we have not seen anything from this part of the county, will give you some little news notes from our town.

The Campbellites, or church people, are holding a meeting at the M. E. church, with Bro. Barnett to do the preaching. The meeting is well attended at each service.

There was quite a large crowd here Saturday attending court with our County Attorney present to do his duty as a good officer.

Louis Martin, of Livingston Co., is visiting Mrs. J. C. Griffin.

Ike Martin, our ferryman, has a new gasoline yacht about completed, which will be used to operate our ferry on the Cumberland river.

W. E. Dycus went to Paducah one day last week on business. He is a hustling groceryman.

Sam Watson has bought the Cobb farm near here. We are always glad to welcome such men to our part of the county.

Corn is worth 60 cents per bushel here.

We have a fine school here under the management of Prof. Robert Wells and Miss Ethel Boaz as our teachers.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Cook have been visiting her parents at this place for some time, have returned home.

We are sorry to say that Mrs. Charles Padon has been moved to the Riverside hospital at Paducah for treatment of her eyes.

Sammie Ball, who has been quite ill with typhoid fever, is improving.

## STATE SENATOR LINN KENTUCKY'S GOVERNOR

For A Few Hours Only Is He Chief Executive—Wilson And Cox Out of The Commonwealth.

### UNAWARE OF THE HONOR.

Frankfort, Ky., Nov. 17.—Kentucky to-night has a Democratic Governor, Conn Linn, president pro tem of Senate, being temporarily in the Governor's chair during the absence from the State of Governor Willson and Lieut. Governor W. H. Cox. Mr. Linn succeeds to the Governor's chair when both the Governor and Lieutenant Governor are out of the State or die. The former contingency has happened, Governor Willson was due in the State at one o'clock this afternoon, but stopped over in Philadelphia for a few hours and so did not reach Kentucky until Thursday morning about 3 o'clock. Gov. Cox left Kentucky, on his way to Florida for a hunting trip this afternoon at 4 o'clock. When he left the borders of the State Mr. Linn became acting Governor.

This is the first time that a Democrat ever acted as Governor during a Republican administration. It is not the first time that the president pro tem. of the Senate acted as Governor, however, as Senator George Hickman sat in the Governor's chair for two days, while president pro tem. of the Senate during the absence from the State of Gov. Beckham and Lieut. Gov. Thorne.

Mr. Linn probably will not know that he was Governor for a few hours until Thursday when he sees the newspapers. It would have been impossible for him to reach Frankfort, so he was not notified that he was actually acting Governor. As he was not in Frankfort there was but little that he could have done and it is doubtful if he could have even granted a pardon without the seal of the State and the Secretary of State's name on it. But Mr. Linn will be known as Governor after this, and he has a right to the title.

#### Honor Roll For Crayne School.

Jessie Carlton, 85; Ray Bradford, 86; Erma Brown, 93; Gertie Jones, 89; Roy Cook, 94; Ray Deboe, 92; Eugene Dorroh, 90; Robert Dorroh, 93; Amill Rushings, 88; Autie Ordway, 95; Ellis Ordway, 90.

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Bertie Travis, Iva Asher, Winnie Nesbitt, Josie Paris, Gertrude Drury, Ray Travis, Dedic Kemp, Naoma Asher, Elizabeth Rochester, Mildred Moore, Hazel Pollard, Isabel Guess, Nellie Olive, Jaunie McConnell, Joyce Adams, Ruth Flannery, Leona Miller, Lillie Wilson, Orville Lamb, Minnie Corley, Mattie Wilburn, Joanna Rankin, Allie Wathen, Virginia Blue, Anna Haynes, Eugene Wilson, Clarence Mayes, Susie Boston, Hortens Calmes, Marion Condit, Ada Ford, Lucian Walker, Frances Blue, Ruby Cook, May Cook, Mira Dixon, Maude Flannery, Coleman Foster, Katie Vandell, Elvah Pickens, Marian Clement, Addie Maynard, Madeline Jenkins.

### HONOR ROLL.

Mrs. Margaret S. Moran, of Dallas, Texas, sent us a dollar last week for the Record-Press.

John F. Howland, of Stuttgart, Ark., while here last week gave us a dollar for the Record Press. He says it comes to him as a letter from home.

R. H. Moore added his dollar Saturday to help us along. They do come in awful handy.

H. L. Mathews, of Skeston, Mo., gave us a dollar for another year's subscription last week. He is the kind of gentleman from Missouri we like to deal with.

R. B. Clement of Crayne, while here last week handed in the dollar so coveted by newspaper men.

H. L. Martin, of Salem, added his dollar to the long list Saturday. Oh, but these dollars look as big as wagon wheels to us.

A. G. Kline called last week and gave us a dollar for the Record Press.

W. T. Terry called Saturday and renewed his subscription for another year.

Mrs. Mattie Hill, of Mountaire, Colorado, was added as a yearly subscriber last week.

G. W. Cruce, of Crayne, while in town last week handed us the much needed dollar for the Record-Press.

L. O. Threlkeld, of Crayne, gave us a dollar last week for the renewal of his subscription.

Sam Grimes, of Fredonia, was in town last week and had his name added to our list of subscribers.

J. B. Loftus called and renewed his subscription last week.

J. S. G. Green handed in a dollar for the Record-Press.

#### Money Comes In Bunches

to A. A. Chisholm, of Treadwell, N. Y., now. His reason is well worth reading: "For a long time I suffered from indigestion, torpid liver, constipation, nervousness and general debility," he writes "I couldn't sleep had no appetite, nor ambition, grew weaker every day in spite of all medical treatment. Then used Electric Bitters. Twelve bottles restored all my old-time health and vigor. Now I can attend to business every day. Its a medicine." Infalible for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Blood and Nerves. 50c. at Jas. H. Orme's and Haynes & Taylor.

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